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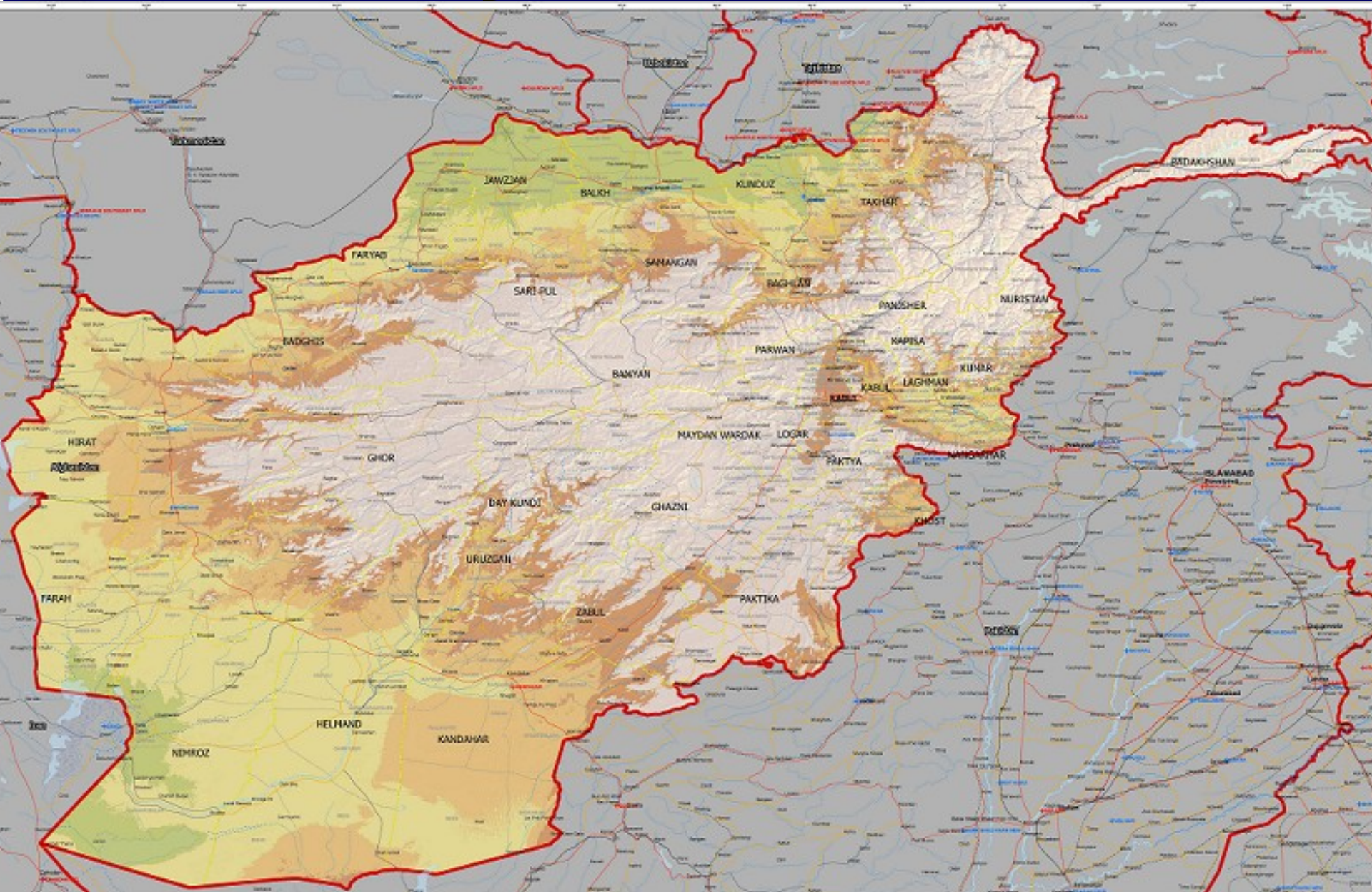


Purpose: MCOE Brief
ISAF Joint Command CSM Afghanistan Reflections

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COM IJC Operational Priorities

Operation Enduring Freedom Afghanistan 2011-2012



- 1. Accelerate the development of the ANSF; move them into the lead.***
- 2. Maintain momentum of the Campaign, relentlessly pursue insurgent networks.***
- 3. Assist GIROA efforts to improve public administration; hire, place, protect and assist civil servants, and deliver basic services.***
- 4. Communicate visual, tangible and recognizable progress.***
- 5. Maintain our agility in our plans and our force posture.***
- 6. Sustain the coalition.***

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Courage 7's Big 5



- 1. Battlefield Efficiency**
- 2. Standards/Discipline**
- 3. Safety**
- 4. Flexibility**
- 5. Fighter Management**

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Afghan National Security Forces



- **Operation Naweed 1391**
- **Company and below doing well.**
- **Kandak/Battalion and higher need work in MDMP, Maintenance management, Logistics, Rule of Law, Counter-corruption.**
- **The Afghan Soldier**
 - **50% ethnically Pashtun, 1st grade education, Average 20 years old.**
 - **Pashtunwali**
- **The Afghan Policeman**
 - **50% Formally Trained**
 - **Still need work in investigative procedures, arrest authority.**
- **Afghan Local Police**

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Courage / On Operation Al Farouk

(Not official, personal assessment)



Operation Al Farouk: 2012 Fighting Season Taliban Campaign Plan Priorities

- ***Focus attacks on ANSF to delegitimize them to the population in providing security.***
- ***Conduct Assassinations of GIROA officials to weaken Governance development.***
- ***Focus efforts/attacks on ISAF forces to interdict/disrupt security and development .***
- ***Increase Green on Green, Green on Blue attacks as part of an overall IO campaign through co-option, infiltration, impersonation and personal/ grievance techniques.***
- ***Bait ISAF Forces into committing civilian casualties through attacks in built-up areas.***

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Key Topics



- **Operational Command Team Relationship**
- **Security Force Assistance**
- **Insider Threat**
- **Dismounted CIED**
- **COIST**
- **ISR, PSS**
- **Combined Arms Maneuver**



The Future



- **Strategic Partnering Agreement**
- **Surge Recovery/ US Forces Reduction**
- **NATO Force Reduction**
- **Afghan Elections 2014**



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